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Mr. Mark S. Pelizza URI, Inc. 12750 Merit Drive, Suite 1020, LB 12 Dallas, TX 75251

RE: In Situ Uranium Mining Application Technical Review Second Notice of Deficiency, Vasquez Project Permit No. UR03050

Dear Mr. Pelizza:

The Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) staff has received and reviewed URI's reply to our March 12, 1996 Notice of Deficiency letter. Our review of the reply shows that insufficient information was presented to show compliance with Title 30 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) Section §331.122(2)(C). Which states:

§331.122. Class III Wells. The commission shall consider the following before issuing a Class III Injection Well or Area Permit:...

- (2) All information in the Technical Report submitted with the application for permit, including the following:...
 - (C) maps and cross-sections indicating the vertical and lateral limits of those aquifers within the area of review that contain water with less than 3,000 mg/l TDS and those that contain water with less than 10,000 mg/l TDS, their position relative to the injection formation, and the direction of water movement.

In order to meet this application requirement, please, revise the cross-sections in Figures 33 and 34 to show a line connecting the 3,000 mg/l TDS and the 10,000 mg/l TDS depth on each of the logs in the cross-section.

Sincerely,

John Santos

Uranium Team Geologist

UIC, Uranium, and Radioactive Waste Section

Industrial and Hazardous Waste Division

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